



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 3495.0059-06

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
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HUGHES, BLAUDIN DE THE ET AL.)
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Serial No.: 07/649,342) Group Art Unit: 1646
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Field: FEBRUARY 1, 1991) Examiner: J. ULM

For: A NOVEL STEROID/THYROID HORMONE RECEPTOR
RELATED GENE INAPPROPRIATELY EXPRESSED IN
HUMAN HEPATOCELLULAR CARCINOMA

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

#39/Ext. of Time (1m)
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time for filing a Response to the Office Action mailed March 4, 1999 (Paper No. 38). A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this Response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916. If a fee is required for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. \$1.136, not accounted for above, such an extension is requested, and the fee should also be charged to our deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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